

<b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b> <b>FY 2005</b> <i>(Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).)</i>		Docket Number (Optional)  <b>82225P7166C</b>
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In re Application of <b>Abhay Gupta</b>	
Application Number <b>10/697,603</b>	Filed <b>10/30/2003</b>
For Methods and Apparatus for Improving Critical Path Analysis Using a Gate Delay	
Group Art Unit <b>2825</b>	Examiner <b>Do, Thuan V.</b>

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing an Amendment and Response to Office Action in the above identified application.

The requested extension and fees are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):

	<u>Fee</u>	<u>Small Entity Fee</u>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One Month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$120	\$60	\$120.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Two Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$450	\$225	
<input type="checkbox"/> Three Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$1020	\$510	
<input type="checkbox"/> Four Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$1590	\$795	
<input type="checkbox"/> Five Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$2160	\$1080	

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 02-2666. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of the Fee Transmittal.

I am the  applicant/inventor.

assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.  
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96)

attorney or agent of record. Registration Number 31,460.

attorney or agent acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a).  
Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) 31,460.

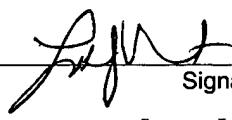
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May 4, 2006  
Date

(408) 720-8300

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NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.

  
Signature  
Lester J. Vincent

Typed or printed name

Total of \_\_\_\_\_ forms are submitted.